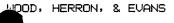
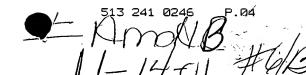
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This paper is responsive to the Office Action in the case mailed August 14, 2001.

Accordingly, this Response is timely filed, by facsimile on November 14, 2001.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the currently pending claims in light of the arguments below.

Please amend the claims as follows:

In the Claims

3. The container of claim 2, wherein said frame section is hingedly coupled with respect to the body to be selectively hinged between a collapsed and erected position.

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